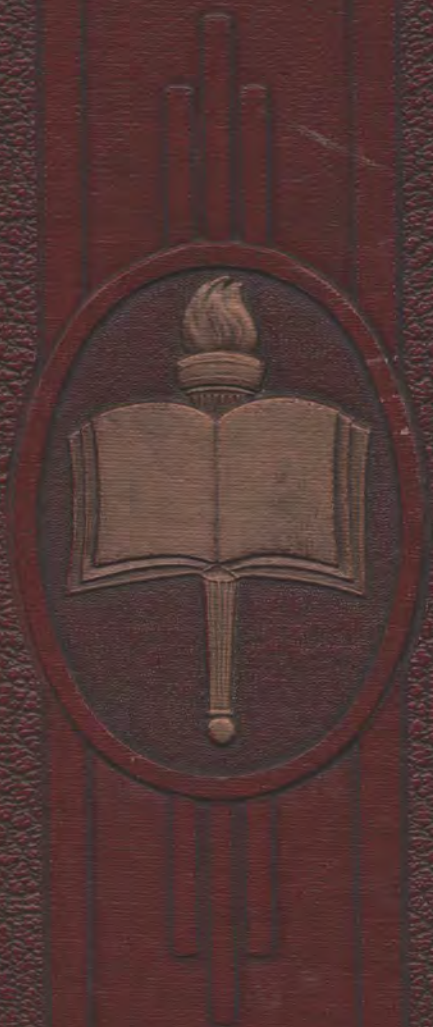


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As head of the English and Philosophy departments of Chesbrough he has, through wise guidance and faithful service, led us into the paths of knowledge and wisdom.

As Dean of Men his helpful influence has been heartily appreciated by all those who have been associated with him.

Deeming him worthy of our sincere love, respect, and admiration, we therefore dedicate this 1937 edition of the "Chesbronian" to

Professor Howard E. Updyke.

—The Staff

D E D I C A T I O N

PRESENTATION

To chronicle by word and picture as carefully as we knew how the passing of another year at Chesbrough with its aspirations and partial or complete fulfillment, its endeavors and achievements, its joys and even its sorrows—in short, the living whole of the life of our Alma Mater—has been our sole purpose in the creation of this 1937 "Chesbronian".

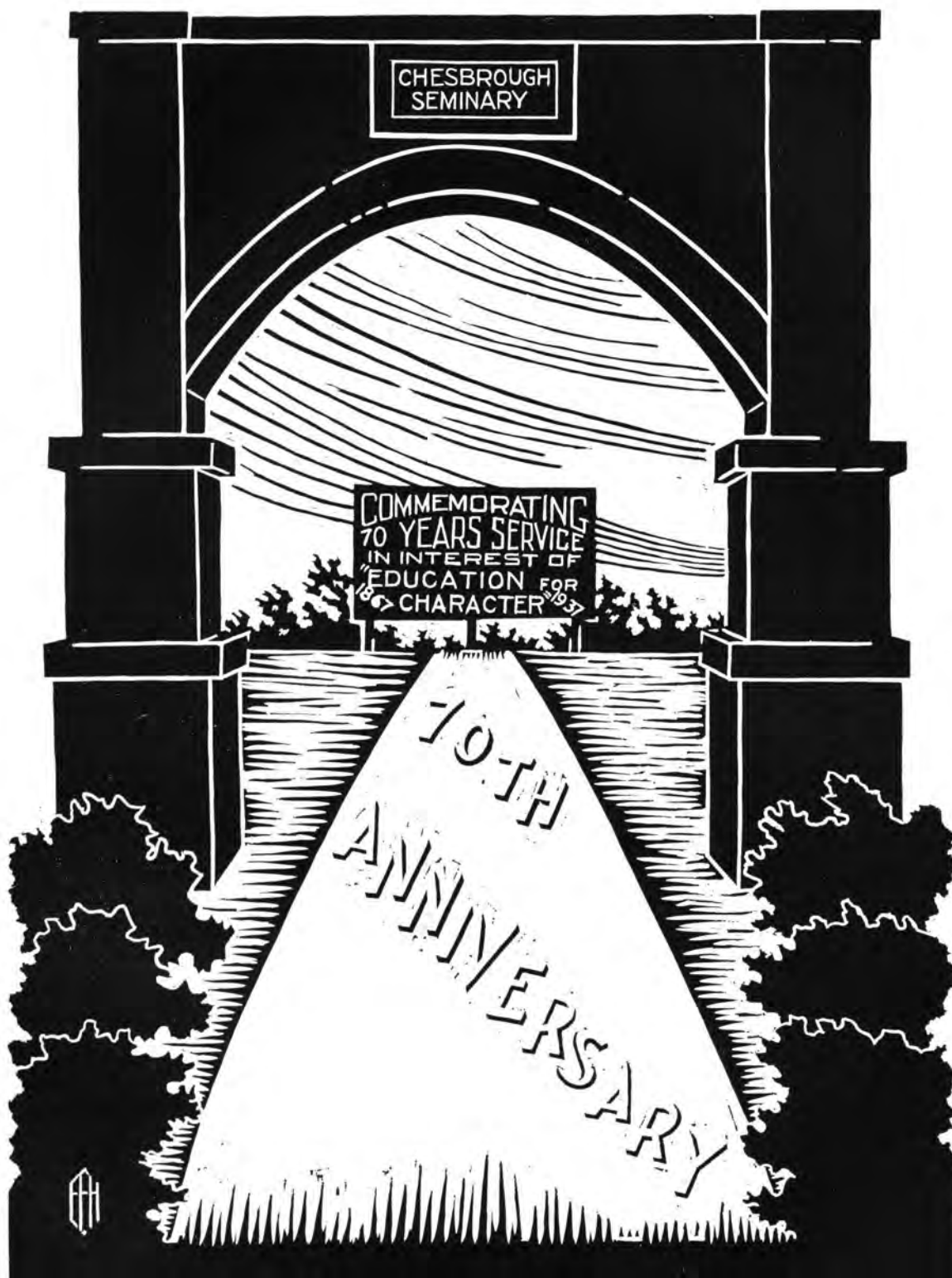
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BOOK ONE
CHESBROUGH SEMINARY



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COX HALL



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KITCHEN



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MUSIC STUDIO



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BOOK TWO
PEOPLE AT CHESBROUGH

HISTORY OF COLLEGE SOPHOMORES

In the fall of 1935 there were gathered in the halls of Chesbrough Seminary some fifty-eight vigorous and talented young men and women, who were to make history as the class of '37. They chose as their slogan "By their deeds ye shall know them", and, truly, by their deeds they became known. The class officers for this beginning Freshman class were as follows: Paul Hazlett, president; Allegra Hayes, vice-president; Esther Cooley, secretary; and Frederick Sittig, treasurer. The class chose as class advisers Professor and Mrs. Howard E. Updyke, who proved invaluable to the class for their mentors through the two years following.

Such an excellent spirit of cooperation was shown by these beginning "Frosh" that the class of '36 found that their duty as Sophomores of subjugating and instructing the underclassmen was impossible and unnecessary.

We shall remember the evening the Freshmen spent at the cottage by Lake Ontario—and the Leap Year party that was given by the Frosh girls to the boys. Every class function was characterized by originality and spirit.

The second semester rolled around and with it a few changes in class officers. Herbert Olver became president; Martha Foy, vice-president; Pauline Emery, secretary; and Frederick Sittig, treasurer. The outstanding social event of the second semester was the Freshmen-Sophomore banquet. We shall always remember that Shakespearean event because of the unique decorations and well-carried-out theme. Few at Chesbrough have seen its equal and none its superior.

In scholastic achievement this class stood well above average, many of its members achieving a place on the final Honor Roll.

In the religious activities of the campus the members of this class have been pre-eminent, serving as officers in the Ministerial Association, Y. P. M. S., promoters of the noon-day prayer services, speakers at the Monroe County Home services held once each month, and at the Avon Community Church. Members of this class have always been prominent in the Regional Conference activities each year.

The Freshman class was particularly outstanding in the field of sports. Unde-feated, the boys took the Soccer series and likewise the basketball series. The girls, not to be outdone, also won the class basketball championship. In the spring, the Freshman team won the track meet by a large margin, and six of the eight letters awarded to boys and girls were earned by Freshmen.

Thus the first year passed away. In the fall of '36, twenty-six of the Freshman band returned to Chesbrough as Sophomores. The new officers elected for the first semester were: Herbert Olver, president; Dean Woods, vice-president; Martha Foy, secretary; and Howard Bassett, treasurer. This smaller but more closely-knit group continued to uphold their high standards. As upper-classmen they took the new Freshmen under their wings and proceeded to instruct them in college ways. Of the social functions of this new semester the breakfasts at Churchville and at White Cedar Springs were particularly enjoyable, partly because of the excellent cooperation of the Freshman class, who, we found, learned readily.

Finally, the last semester of these pleasant two years came and with it thoughts of graduation. New officers for the final half-year were: Dean Woods, president; Herbert Olver, vice-president; Martha Foy, secretary; and Howard Bassett, treasurer. The high lights of this last semester were the skip-hike, which had been looked forward to so long, and Commencement with its joy of accomplishment and its sorrow of leave-taking. The members of the class did exceedingly well in scholastic work and athletic activities this last year. Once more the men took the Soccer series and basketball series undefeated, and both men and women excelled in track.

The two years spent at Chesbrough have been pleasant and happy years, marked by originality and aggressiveness of its members. We trust we have learned the lessons of cooperation and good-will. We know that the Christian ideals of our Alma Mater have made an indelible impression on our lives.

COLLEGE SOPHOMORES

HOWARD DUNSMORE BASSETT

Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

"Howdy"

Liberal Arts Certificate

EDITH HELEN BRISBANE

Churchville, N. Y.

Business Certificate



EVANGELINE CILLEY

Herkimer, N. Y.

"Vangy"

PAULINE IDA EMERY

Roscoe, N. Y.

"Peanuts"

Liberal Arts Certificate



JAMES PAUL FOY

Uniontown, Pa.

"Jimmy"

MARTHA ELLEN FOY

Uniontown, Pa.

"Mart"

Liberal Arts Certificate



HOWARD KELLY GLOSSER

Pittsburgh, Pa.

"Gloss"

PAUL RICHARD HAZLETT

Apollo, Pa.

"Dicky"

Theological Certificate



ISABEL GERTRUDE HEATH

Olean, N. Y.

"Izzy"

Public School Music Certificate

JOHN WESLEY HICKS

Beachlake, Pa.

"Johnny"



COLLEGE SOPHOMORES



CARL MELVIN HOMER
Perry, N. Y.

LAVERNE JUNKER
Galeton, Pa.
"Junk"
Liberal Arts Certificate



NORMA LASALLE
Coldwater, N. Y.
"Norm"

OLETA MAE LEONARD
North Chili, N. Y.
Liberal Arts Certificate



DOROTHY MILROY
Rochester, N. Y.
"Dot"

HAROLD EUGENE MORGAN
Scottsville, N. Y.



LULU BELLE NEELEY
Kane, Pa.
"Lu"
Voice Certificate

FRANCES MAY NEWTON
Binghamton, N. Y.
Liberal Arts Certificate



HERBERT DWIGHT OLVER
Honesdale, Pa.
"Herby"
Theological Certificate

LENA ADELAIDE PERKINS
Franklinville, N. Y.
"Perk"
Liberal Arts Certificate

COLLEGE SOPHOMORES

THOMAS BURDETTE SIMPSON

Ransomville, N. Y.

"Tommy"

Liberal Arts Certificate

FREDERICK SITTING

Oil City, Pa.

"Freddy"

Liberal Arts Certificate



FLORENCE GERTRUDE TILLOTSON

Sigel, Pa.

"Tilly"

Liberal Arts Certificate

RANDOLPH MILSTEAD TURNER

Sandy Spring, Md.

"Randy"

Theological Certificate



EUNICE E. VANDERMILLEN

Webster, N. Y.

"Eunie"

Liberal Arts Certificate

VIOLET VIRGINIA VAN EPPS

Union City, Pa.

"Lupe"

Liberal Arts Certificate



FLORENCE AMELIA WAHL

East Williamson, N. Y.

"Flossie"

Liberal Arts Certificate

CLARENCE DEAN WOODS

Youngsville, Pa.

Liberal Arts Certificate



ALISON ESTELLE MCINTYRE

Alton, N. Y.

"Al"

GRACE A. SOMMERVILLE

Winona Lake, Ind.

COLLEGE FRESHMEN



GERALD LEROY BELSON
Albion, N. Y.
"Gerry"



BERNICE NAOMI BLEWS
Pittsburgh, Pa.
"Bernie"



HAROLD WAYNE BUERMAN
Clyde, N. Y.



VERA VIOLA BUERMAN
Williamson, N. Y.



CHARLES OLIVER CAUSEY
Sewickley, Pa.
"O C"



MARY EMMA CHYNOWETH
Burlington, Vt.



RUTH ESTHER COOLEY
Niagara Falls, N. Y.



EDITH LOTTIE CROSSMAN
Gouverneur, N. Y.
"Deedie"



LOIS ERNESTINE CUNNINGHAM
Niagara Falls, N. Y.



JOHN ORRIE DEBAKE
Newark, N. J.
"Johnny"



RUTH ESTHER GOODRICH
Sherburne, N. Y.



EVELYN MAE HAMPTON
Mineral, Va.
"Pat"

COLLEGE FRESHMEN

EVAN CHARLES HESSLER
Chittenango, N. Y.

RUTH HESSLER
Alton, N. Y.



EZRA FRANCIS HOCKENBERGER
Dansville, N. Y.
"Hockie"

LUELLA MAY HUGHES
Churchville, N. Y.



ANTHONY EDWARD JEFFERSON
Fulton, N. Y.
"Proctor"

LETHA MARIE KIFFER
Oil City, Pa.
"Lee"



KENNETH CLYDE KNIGHT
Ellwood City, Pa.
"Ken"

ETHEL JOANNA LANING
Roslyn, Pa.
"Effie Mae"



MURIEL GERTRUDE LEVER
Niagara Falls, N. Y.
"Shorty"

SPENCER ROBERTS LOWELL
Cortland, N. Y.
"Spence"



HUGH WILTON LUCAS
Ulysses, Pa.
"Hughie"

HELEN ELIZABETH MOREHOUSE
Watertown, N. Y.



COLLEGE FRESHMEN



CHARLES HENRY MEYER
Wellsburg, W. Va.
"Hank"



ALAMEDA VIRGINIA NEELEY
Kane, Pa.
"Meda"



RALPH LLOYD PAGE
East Liverpool, Ohio



GERTRUDE EVELYN PARKER
Maplecrest, N. Y.
"Gert"



BLANCHE ELIZABETH PERKINS
Franklinville, N. Y.
"Stub"



CARL ALLAN RENNELLS
Coudersport, Pa.



HARRIET ELIZABETH SEIFERT
Allentown, Pa.



OHMER HAROLD SHELLHAAS
Mansfield, Ohio
"Shorty"



GLADYS MABELLE SNYDER
Pittsburgh, Pa.
"Gladys"



CAROLYN SUTER
Rochester, N. Y.
"Toots"



WESLEY CREIGHTON SMEAL
Philipsburg, Pa.



MARY ETHELYN VANTASSEL
East Randolph, N. Y.
"Mary Van"

COLLEGE FRESHMEN

BESSIE ISABEL WILCOX

Titusville, Pa.

"Betsie"

HOPE WHITE

Clark's Summit, Pa.

"Hopa"

Business Certificate

VICTORIA JUNE WOODS

Rushford, N. Y.

"Vicky"

WILSON THOMAS WORBOYS

Forestville, N. Y.

KENNETH RIDLEY

Lemont Furnace, Pa.

"Ken"

WILLIAM EDWARD HUGHES

Wilkes Barre, Pa.

"Bill"

ZYLPHA MARY VANDERMILLEN

Webster, N. Y.

MARGARET ISABEL WHITTON

Spencerport, N. Y.

"Peggy"



HELEN NORINE LAKE

North Chili, N. Y.

PEARL HELEN WILCOX

North Chili, N. Y.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



WILLIAM GORDON CRAIG
North Chili, N. Y.
"Billy"

ELSIE ELIZABETH DAILEY
North Chili, N. Y.



ANITA MAE GREENWOOD
Rochester, N. Y.
"Nitz"

MARY ELLEN HOLCOMB
Trucksville, Pa.



RETA FRANCES HOUCK
Walton, N. Y.

BEATRICE MAE JEFFERSON
Fulton, N. Y.
"Mrs. Proctor"



STANLEY MARSHALL PARMETER
North Chili, N. Y.
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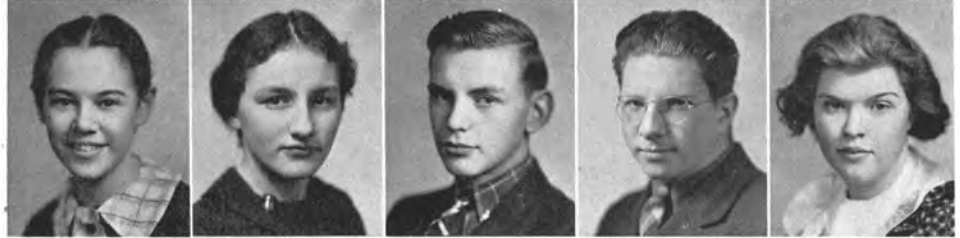
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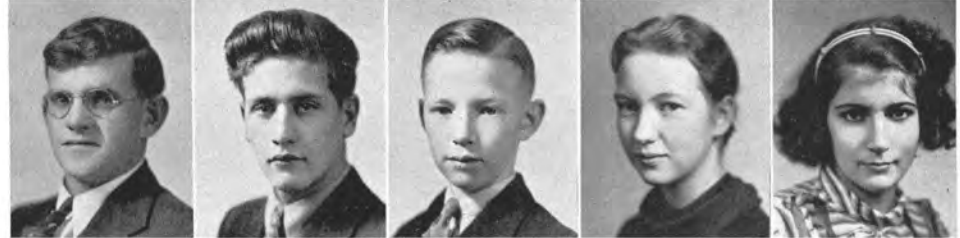
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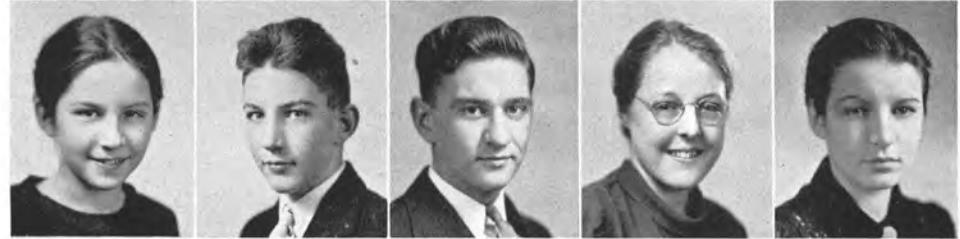
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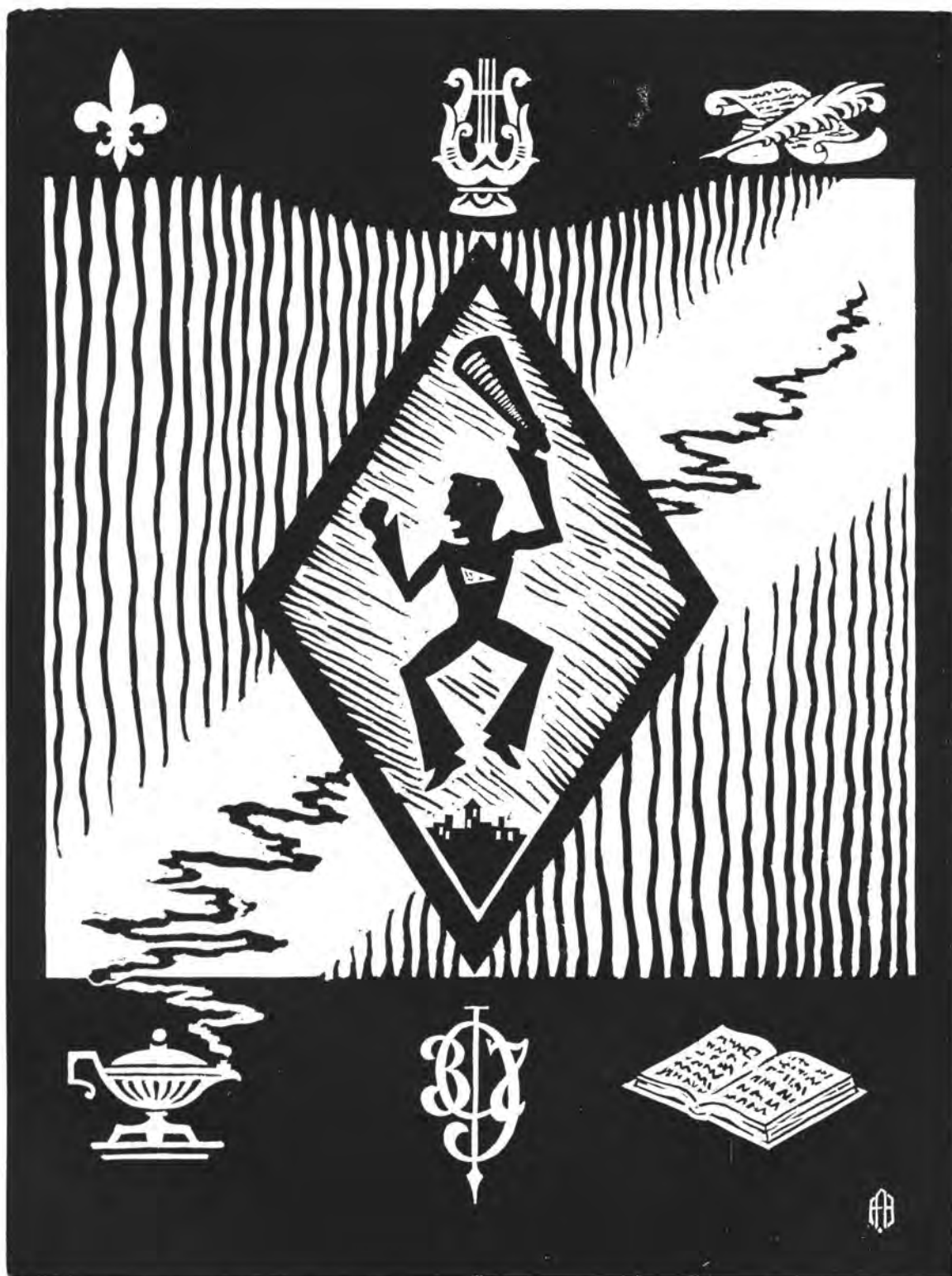
Ruth O'Brien
David Alexander

Henry Seidermann



THINGS HARD FOR SOPHOMORES TO KEEP

- Howdy—The bells rung.
- Cilley—My hair hennaed.
- Jimmie—A way from women.
- Closs—My ambition.
- Heath—In nights.
- Brisbane—From being fast in typing.
- Peanuts—A n innocent look.
- Mart—A listener.
- Dicky—From flirting.
- Johnny—That schoolgirl complexion.
- Homer—Regular school hours.
- Nora—My hands still.
- Dot—From being silent.
- Lu—From singing.
- Herby—From being silly.
- Junk—Out of the kitchen.
- Oleta—From speaking declamations.
- Morgan—From thinking.
- Newton—From getting A's
- Perk—My hair combed.
- Tommy—A mile away.
- Tilly—Quiet.
- Eunie—My avoirdupois.
- Flossie—A steady beau.
- Al—My hair up.
- Freddy—A small car.
- Randy—From giggling.
- Lupe—All my dates.
- Dean—From perking.
- Hope—From asking questions.
- Spence—Working.



BOOK THREE
YEAR AT CHESBROUGH



CONFERENCES

Pittsburgh
Susquehanna
New York
Oil City
Genesee

Most of the students attending Chesbrough Seminary come from the five Eastern Conferences including Genesee, New York, Oil City, Pittsburgh, and Susquehanna. Representatives, however, are in attendance this year from the Ohio and Michigan Conferences. Nine states are represented, including Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Vermont, New York, Michigan, and Ohio. The Genesee Conference naturally has the largest representation in the Seminary, numbering 67. Susquehanna is second with 31, Oil City third with 17, and New York and Pittsburgh tie for fourth place. The State of New York ranks first, Pennsylvania second, and Ohio third among the states represented.

Scholarships are granted each year to students in each of the five eastern conferences. Much encouragement has been brought to both students and faculty by the pledge made by these same conferences to raise a total of \$7,000 to help balance the budget at Chesbrough for this school year.





SCIENCE CLUB

During the second year of its existence, the Chesbrough Science Club has actively endeavored to fulfill its purpose: that is, "To keep its members well informed on recent developments in science, and to create a greater interest in that field". At its first meeting this year the former president, Howard Bassett, and the former secretary and treasurer, William Craig, were reelected. Harold Morgan was made vice-president. During the fall the club presented a public program and also visited the Stromberg-Carlson factory in Rochester. At the March meeting Dr. Smith delivered a lecture on astronomy in which he vividly described the magnitude of the heavens and clearly explained the delicate instruments used in observatories.

The Science Club has established itself as a permanent member of campus organizations and is contributing its share to the scholastic life of Chesbrough.

FRENCH CLUB

This year has seen the beginning of an interesting new club formed for the purpose of promoting better speaking of French and a better understanding of French life and literature. Anyone who has had two years of high school French or one year of college French may belong. An initiating banquet was held March 15, and proved to be a means of information as well as a great deal of fun with all the events of the evening carried out in French. Clubs of this kind are especially helpful in broadening students' cultural interests.



MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

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President

ANTHONY JEFFERSON

Vice-president

BLANCHE PERKINS

Secretary-Treasurer

Second Semester

RALPH PAGE

DONALD WOODS

ALISON MCINTYRE

Christianity by its very nature demands an outlet as well as an inlet. In the midst of our studies and social activities our Ministerial Association thus affords a means of service and worship not only in weekly evening and chapel services, but also in monthly meetings at the county home and at nearby preaching points. We would not define our work in terms of what we do or when we do it, but in the spirit in which it is done. Our aim is to meet a need; our object is usefulness; our reward is more service.

BIBLE DEPARTMENT

No school claiming to be fundamentally Christian will neglect the Book of Books, for true wisdom can come only with a sincere acceptance of its truths. Chesbrough is definitely a Christian school. Her ideal for each and all of her students is "Education for Character". This being the case, she has given an important place in her curriculum to religious subjects.

There have been offered in the department of religion this year courses in both the Old and New Testaments, in Church History, in hymnology, in ethics, in religious fundamentals, and in New Testament Greek. Each student planning to graduate from Chesbrough is required to take at least one semester of work in Bible, and in the case of advanced students this is generally done in the freshman year. Three graduates this year have majored in the Bible Department. They are: Randolph Turner, Paul Hazlett, and Herbert Olver.

—H. F. Anderson, Chairman, Department of Bible

Standing:
Letson
Shellhaas
Hockenberger
Sharp

Seated:
Greenwood
Prof. Updyke
Smith
Dr. Smith
Simpson
Hampton
Leonard (not
present)



Standing:
Woods
Causey
Hicks
J. Foy
Bassett

Seated:
Prof. Beeson
Cilley
Perkins
M. Foy
Leonard



STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council is composed of two faculty members, two representatives from each college class, and one representative of each high school class. Such responsibilities as nominating officers for the Chesbronian Staff, the Literary Societies, the Student Association, dividing the student body into "Blacks" and "Reds", and passing legislation concerning scholastic, athletic, and recreational functions, rest on this group. They then refer their measures to the Student Association for approval.

DEBATE

The debate teams, coached by Professor J. Eslye Beeson, started off with great enthusiasm this year. The expanded activities of last year's debate teams caused wide spread interest. All debates this year have been decision debates, all of which Chesbrough has won. Her chief rivals are Geneseo State Normal, Houghton College, and Brockport State Normal. The topics debated this year were, "Resolved, That the Government should own and control all electric utilities", and "Resolved, That Congress should regulate maximum hours and minimum wages in Industry".



JOURNALISM CLUB

One of the newest clubs at Chesbrough is the Journalism Club from which the members of the "Chesbronian" and the "Bulletin" (school paper staffs) are elected. The aim of the club is to create a lively interest in journalistic writing and to supply the Rochester newspapers with school news. The club this year is headed by Lena Perkins as President, and Oliver Causey as Editor in-chief. Dean Z. E. Kellum is the faculty sponsor.



HISTORY CLUB

Among its numerous activities this year, the club made a tour of Western New York that included historic points, pioneer trails, battle-fields, the first Free Methodist Church, Old Fort Niagara, and Niagara Falls. Recently a project has been launched to decorate the history room in Cox Hall which was occupied for many years by Miss Carpenter.



COMMERCIAL CLUB

Chesbrough's Commercial Club has been organized for the first time. Members of the Club have been awarded certificates by the Gregg Writer for efficiency in commercial subjects. The club plans to present a public program at the end of each year.



PIANO AND VOICE

In addition to the usual recital given in November and the regular commencement musical program in which the students of both piano and voice participate, the first week of May is annually observed as music week. During this period the place of music as a requisite cultural element of our civilization is adequately presented.



JUNIOR MUSIC

The Junior Music Department offers music classes for pre-school age children who learn songs, piano stories, and rhythmic games, and elementary piano classes for school-age children. This department, enrolling children of the community makes no small contribution to the cultural life of the school and community. The children's recitals at the close of the year are very popular.



ENSEMBLE

At the beginning of this year there was organized on the campus an ensemble for the purpose of promoting school spirit at various programs, both athletic and scholastic. Due to some unfortunate circumstances, the organization was not continued the second semester. It is hoped that those interested in this type of organization will come prepared to promote it at the beginning of next school year.





Conference: Worboys, McLain, DeBake, Cooley, Wilcox, Perkins, Snyder, Wood, Houck, and Olver(not shown)
Mersereau: Page (not shown).

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships! Character! Service! For these qualities a group of students like this is chosen each year from the five patronizing conferences to receive the benefits of the scholarships offered by the Chesbrough League, and by Mr. S. F. Mersereau in honor of his wife, Grace T. Mersereau. Full tuition is awarded one student in each district which has 150 paid members of the Chesbrough League. By this method Chesbrough hopes to make a Christian education possible to a larger number of those in the church who otherwise could not be served. By this method also, she feels that she is serving the Free Methodist Church of the Eastern United States.



Hugh Lucas, First Tenor
Carlos Twitchell, Second Tenor
William Craig, Baritone
Herbert Olver, Bass



Martha Foy, First Soprano
Gladys Snyder, Second Soprano
Gertrude Parker, First Alto
Ethel Laning, Second Alto

QUARTETS

Chesbrough has greatly appreciated the number and variety of gospel quartets functioning this year. The first ladies' quartet, organized shortly after school opened last fall, journeyed close to 1,450 miles. The male quartet, already well organized at the opening of the year, have traveled more than

2,600 miles. Four more of the girls, Blanche Perkins, Alameda Neeley, Mary Holcomb, and Evangeline Cilley, formed a second ladies quartet in late November and have also traveled about 1,400 miles in the interests of Chesbrough. These groups of singing Christian young people have been blessed and have been a blessing as a result of their labors for Christ.

THE VOICE OF OUR CHURCH



Rev. Clark B. Wickline, Pastor

We find ourselves in the midst of the greatest educational era that any country in any age has ever enjoyed. Statistics show that twenty-three out of every one thousand Americans are college graduates. This great demand for higher education offers a real challenge to our church if we hope to save our young people from the faith-wrecking influences of our colleges and universities of today. The sacrifice of our fathers for the cause of Christian education has given us our school here at Chili to meet this challenge. As a church we are most grateful for the contribution that Chesbrough is making to our youth in giving them the desired educational advantages under conditions favorable to strengthening faith and building character.

This year marks the close for the school of seventy years of service to our denomination in the field of Christian education. With this unusual record we find Chesbrough still standing just as staunchly in supporting the ideals of Free Methodism as she has ever stood. We are grateful to God for the fine group of spiritual students which came to us this year. They have cooperated with the faculty and the local church in rendering invaluable service for the salvation of many of the unsaved students. We believe that Chesbrough will ever be loyal in upholding the principals of evangelical Christian education as taught by our Zion.

—CLARK B. WICKLINE

MISS ADELLA P. CARPENTER 1847-1937

"The story of Christian education and Christian missions in the Free Methodist Church can never be told without the mentioning of the name of Miss Adella P. Carpenter". Such was the tribute paid by Mrs. Carrie T. Burritt, one of her associates in the missionary activities of the church, at the funeral services of Miss Carpenter held at the North Chili Free Methodist church, October 11, 1936.

Miss Carpenter gave almost forty of the best years of her life to Chesbrough Seminary as a member of her faculty. Her service was always marked by efficiency, charity, gentleness, and grace. She was an ideal teacher, a dignified and successful disciplinarian, an able writer, a missionary zealot, and an outstanding Christian. The influence of her consecrated life has been carried into many professions and vocations by her students, some of exalted honor and power and others of humble service to humanity.

Carpenter Hall, with its dignified simplicity and stateliness, stands today on the campus of Chesbrough Seminary as a living monument to her sacrificial life and her abiding faith in God.

The church is stronger, its educational program is more firmly established, the cause of missions is more generously supported, and the world is better because she passed this way.

—Z. E. KELLUM, Dean

GERALD L. BELSON 1917-1937

The whole school was plunged into deep grief on March 6 by the announcement of the death of Gerald Belson, of Albion, New York, aged 19, a popular Chesbrough freshman and photographic editor of "The Chesbronian".

Although he had been a member of the Chesbrough family only since September, Gerald had in that short time won for himself an enviable reputation as a thoroughly Christian young man of impeccable character. His life here was, indeed, most exemplary. His was a noble, generous, magnanimous spirit, even-tempered and genial; though full of life and humor, he never descended to levity or vulgarity; wholesomeness and cleanliness of mind and heart characterized his conversation; though courageously independent in thought and action, he was withal sweetly reasonable and cooperative; though respectful of authority, he was not obsequiously servile; though inclined to reticence, his bearing was one of quiet reverence and dignity. In brief, his religion was not one to be spoken of but rather to be lived in thought, word, and deed day in and day out.

As an amateur photographer, he was an ardent lover of Nature, seeking to preserve on his films her beauty in trees, lakes, clouds, skies, and sunsets especially, but as he was engaged in the process of capturing Nature's beauty, he unconsciously imbibed some of the beauty, some of the radiance, some of the silent power of Nature's God. These things we but dimly sensed when he was with us. With his departure we have been made keenly aware of our deep loss.

Our days at Chesbrough were always brighter because Gerald greeted us and smiled as he passed by. Our lives are richer because he dwelt among us. The fragrance of his memory will breed in us perpetual benediction.

—HOWARD E. URDYKE



IN MEMORIAM



A CAPPELLA

Bassett
Woods
Woods
Twichell
Simpson
Page
Glosser
Craig
Oliver
Sittig
Hessler
Lucas
Parker
Wahl
Holcomb
Snyder
Neeley
Cunningham
Chynoweth
Foy
Lum
Heath
Laning
Perkins
Blews
Snyder
Professor Crill,
Director
Greenwood
Van Dermillen
Buerman
Woods
White



A CAPPELLA CHORUS

TOUR ITINERARY

Brighton Community Church, Rochester, N. Y.	March 19
Free Methodist Church, Utica, N. Y.	March 20
Reformed Church, Prattsville, N. Y.	March 21
Presbyterian Church, Maplecrest, N. Y.	March 21
Free Methodist Church, Newark, N. J.	March 22
Free Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Penna.	March 23
Free Methodist Church, Washington, D. C.	March 24
Free Methodist Church, Spencerville, Md.	March 25
Free Methodist Church, Williamsport, Penna.	March 26
Free Methodist Church, Meshoppen, Penna.	March 27
Free Methodist Church, Sayre, Penna.	March 28
Free Methodist Church, Elkland, Penna.	March 28

COMMUNITY CHORUS

The Chesbrough Community Chorus is an organization provided for the advancement of good music in the community and the school. It is composed of both community residents and Seminary students. Each year an oratorio or cantata is given just preceding the Christmas season. This year Handel's "Messiah" was presented on the evening of December 22 in Cox Hall to a large appreciative audience. The soloists were: Victoria Woods, soprano; Mrs. Marion O'Brien, contralto; baritone and Director, Professor Chester C. Crill; and Miss Marie Snyder, the accompanist.

Cooley
Woods
Perkins
Blews
Kiffer
Snyder
Hampton
Hughes



Olver
Hicks
Simpson
Hazlett
Woods
Bassett
Turner



CLASS SERIES BASKETBALL

What ho! The sophomore boys reign victorious and unvanquished! Shoulder to shoulder with these conquerors stand the freshman girls, also undefeated through the whole series.

The boys' season began with a game between the sophomore and freshman fellows, and although the latter fought hard, the cooler technical playing of the Sophs easily won for them a much higher score. Stiff objection was put up by the high school team, but in vain. However, these younger classmen won second place in the school tournament.

The Soph girls, winning over the high school at the opening girls' game, only caused keener competition and determination when they met the new team of Frosh girls a week later. It wasn't because of any outstanding work on the part of a few but because most of the freshmen team was composed of steady, alert, dependable players that they won over the quick, clean, and creditable operations of the older girls. The high school team, some of whom were pretty new at the game, show promise of developing some real championship material.

All in all, the games seemed to fulfill the real ideal of school sports; that is, we played for the love of playing and developing sportsmanship rather than only to win.



REDS

Simpson
Hicks
Oliver
Woods
Dailey
Bassett
Turner



BLACKS

Page
Chaffee
Shellhaas
Parmerter
Hazlett
McLain
Jefferson

BOYS' RED AND BLACK SERIES

The Reds started this year with a determination to avenge the defeat handed them last year by the Blacks. And they did it! They entered every game with a confidence in their ability that enabled them to keep ahead and win every game despite the stubborn opposition of the Blacks. This resistance was so strong in the second game of the series that the Reds won by only one basket.

Captain Woods and Turner led the victorious attacks for the Reds, each piling up high scores in every game. Tommy Simpson played the center position, while Oliver and Hicks did a fine job of holding down the opposition. Whenever they were needed, Dailey and Bassett were ready to help out.

The high scorer and center of the Black team, Ohmer Shellhaas, succeeded in building up a good although inexperienced team from Parmerter, who dropped in from all angles, Ralph Page, Paul Hazlett, and George Chaffee. At the last of the season, the team was considerably handicapped by the loss of two good players Letson and Craig.

At the end of the tournament, the Reds had succeeded in placing seven men on the school varsity team and the Blacks three.

REDS

Holcomb
Cilley
Foy
Wood
Wahl
Whitford
Goodrich
Kiffer
Woods
Coach Woods



BLACKS

Cooley
Alexander
Perkins
VanEpps
Perkins
Coach Shellhaas
Blews
Thompson
Hughes
Hampton
(Emery)



GIRLS' RED AND BLACK SERIES

With the same firm resoluteness that won the victory for them last year, the Black girls came through again this year undefeated. The old players, reinforced by four new Freshman girls, soon had a team with every member functioning. The four old Red girls found it a little disconcerting trying to place six new girls, some of whom were somewhat inexperienced. In fact "six" seemed to be a jinx to the Reds this year, for in each game their score climbed just that far. However, in only one game did the Blacks win by a very large margin. They agree that even though defeated the Reds maintained a fine spirit of sportsmanship.

At the close of the tournament the Blacks succeeded in placing eight girls on the varsity team and the Reds four.



VOLLEY
BALL
TEAM



SOCCER
TEAM

TENNIS, BASEBALL, VOLLEY, SOCCER

Corresponding to the men's exciting soccer game series in the fall there was the class volley ball series for the girls. In both cases, a great deal of enthusiasm was shown, not only by those participating but also by the spectators as well.

Tennis is one of the most popular sports of the campus in the fall and spring of the year. A tennis tournament for both singles and doubles is held every spring.



SEPTEMBER

SEPTEMBER—7. Registration; general sizing up of new students. 8. Rev. R. B. Campbell speaks at convocation. 9. Intelligence tests. Surprise farewell party for B. J. 12. Dormitory picnics. Girls, Hutchin's Woods; boys, Churchville park. 13. Hear our new minister, Rev. Clarke Wickline. 14. Reception. Big and little brothers and sisters. Freshies wear unmated black and white shoes and appropriate green bows. 18. Soph's give Frosh feed at Churchville park. 25. Overnite hikes. Mrs. Smith rejuvenated with girls at Lake Conesus. Randy becomes Cilley's rival at Horseshoe Lake. 26. Hair-raising thrills in speed boat.

OCTOBER

OCTOBER—2. Trustee "bums" found in barn at 4:00 A. M. 7. Revival starts with Evangelist George Kline. Sophomores skip for breakfast. Showers of blessing. Talk about drowned rats! More fun! 10. History-Journalism Club tour to Fort Niagara and Niagara Falls—Dean fixes flat tire. 11. Funeral of Miss Adella P. Carpenter. 26. First snow flurries. Ministerial Conference begins. 31. Robert's Hall becomes enchanted house on Hallowe'en night. Dean's skeleton in tomb says, "What are you doing *down* here?"

NOVEMBER

NOVEMBER—1. Bishop R. H. Warren and Dr. A. L. Whitcomb speak. 2. Students straw vote favors Landon. Landon-Roosevelt speeches in chapel. Hazlett is last but not least. 3. Girls resort to spirit of '46 with their top-knots. 4. Chesbro's males become priests for a day. 6. Reds and Blacks exhibit literary ability. 9. Monitor system installed. 10. Pandemonium breaks loose in girls' dorm, shocking new students. 11. Sophs interrupt skip plans of Frosh. New rules in girls' dorm say no more showers and stacking of rooms. 12. Sophs enjoy, free of charge, the doughnuts made by Frosh cooks. 13. Sophs are fed Dr. Freshman's pills in chapel. Musical talent manifest in an evening recital. 19. Red girls victorious in volley ball tournament. 20. Science club entertainment of movies. 21. Tea for outside girls. 25. Home-bound for the turkey and pumpkin pie. 29. Prowling flashlight and cake. 30. Snow and ice bring many late-comers to Chesbro's campus following vacation.

DECEMBER

DECEMBER—1. Dr. Long has conference with prospective Greenville students. 4. Frosh and Sophs wait impatiently for each other to skip. 5. Mr. Atwood, speaker at Journalism banquet. 10. Everyone discusses King Edward's abdication. Science Club tours Stromberg-Carlson. 11. Kitchen Christmas party with the conventional taffy. 14. Cecil Abel from head hunters of East Indies, in Chapel. 17. Prexie's "babies" skip. 22. Chorus presents the "Messiah." School Christmas party. "What did you get?" 23. Home to trim the tree and catch a glimpse of Santa.

JANUARY

JANUARY—5. Back to the grindstone with breakable New Year's resolutions. 12. Glenn David arrives at Anderson's. 15. Brockport defeated by Chesbro' in debate. 18. Exam week. Burning of mid-night oil. 25. Flu epidemic gets many down in dorm.

FEBRUARY

FEBRUARY—3. Soph boys win class basket ball tournament. 4. Frosh girls take over the basket ball tournament. Mart becomes a limping Granny. 5. Real school spirit shown as Red and Black tournament begins. History club banquets in dining room annex. 8. Dean Woods, on being elected new Soph president, declares, "I'm sure I'll be unable to fill the chair as amply as Herbie has." 9. A clean room and shined shoes tell us Heart Sister week is here. 12. Gerry is rushed to hospital. 13. Sophs enjoy breakfast at Cedar Springs. Hazlett runs the gauntlet. 14. Revivals begin with Rev. I. N. Toole as evangelist. 16. Miss Sprague just one year older. 26. Sermon on "Hope."

MARCH

MARCH—1. Kitchen force willingly gives Pauline an engagement shower. Hockie attends ladies' Hygiene class. 3. Chesbronian staff gets three new ping-pong balls. 5. School shows the town how to play as first game starts off with a bang! 6. Where was the destination of Ruth Hessler and Vera Buerman at mid-night this morning? 9. Gerald Belson's funeral. Large student attendance. Hank, Pauline and Page thumb. 16. A Cappella sings over WHAM. 19. A Cappella waves goodbye to the dear school as Easter vacation starts.

APRIL

APRIL—1-4. Annual YPMS Regional Conference. 9. Debate. 16. Junior-Senior banquet. 23. College banquet. The frosh reciprocate magnanimously.

MAY

MAY—14. Commercial program. 21. All school picnic. 28. Declamatory contest. 29. Sprinters show fast work at track meet. 31. Exams. Why didn't I study before?

JUNE

JUNE—5. "Remember the time Proctor caught you under the bed?" "Oh, yes—he's married now." You guessed it. The Alumni Banquet. 6. Baccalaureate services. 7. Commencement exercises. High School Seniors and College Sophs receive their reward with a ribbon around it.

JOKES

Professor Anderson: "You missed my class yesterday, didn't you?"

Riker Simcoe: "Not in the least, Prof., not in the least."

Professor Woods: "Muriel, what does HNO₃ signify?"

Muriel: Well, ah, er'r—I've got it right on the tip of my tongue, sir."

Professor Woods: "Well, you'd better spit it out. It's nitric acid."

Esither Blews: "I'm sure I heard a mouse squeak."

Bernice Blews: "Well, do you want me to get up and oil it?"

Lois Cunningham: "That's a queer pair of stockings you have on, Lee—one red and one green."

Lee Kiffer: "Yes, and I've got another pair like it at home."

DeBake: Well, roomie, how are your grades?"

Shellhaas: They're under water."

DeBake: "What do you mean, under water?"

Shellhaas: "Below 'C' level."

Dr. Smith: "You know Archimedes has done most all the Math we have."

Luella: "Well, he never did any of mine."

Causey: "I used to think—"

Riker: "What made you stop?"

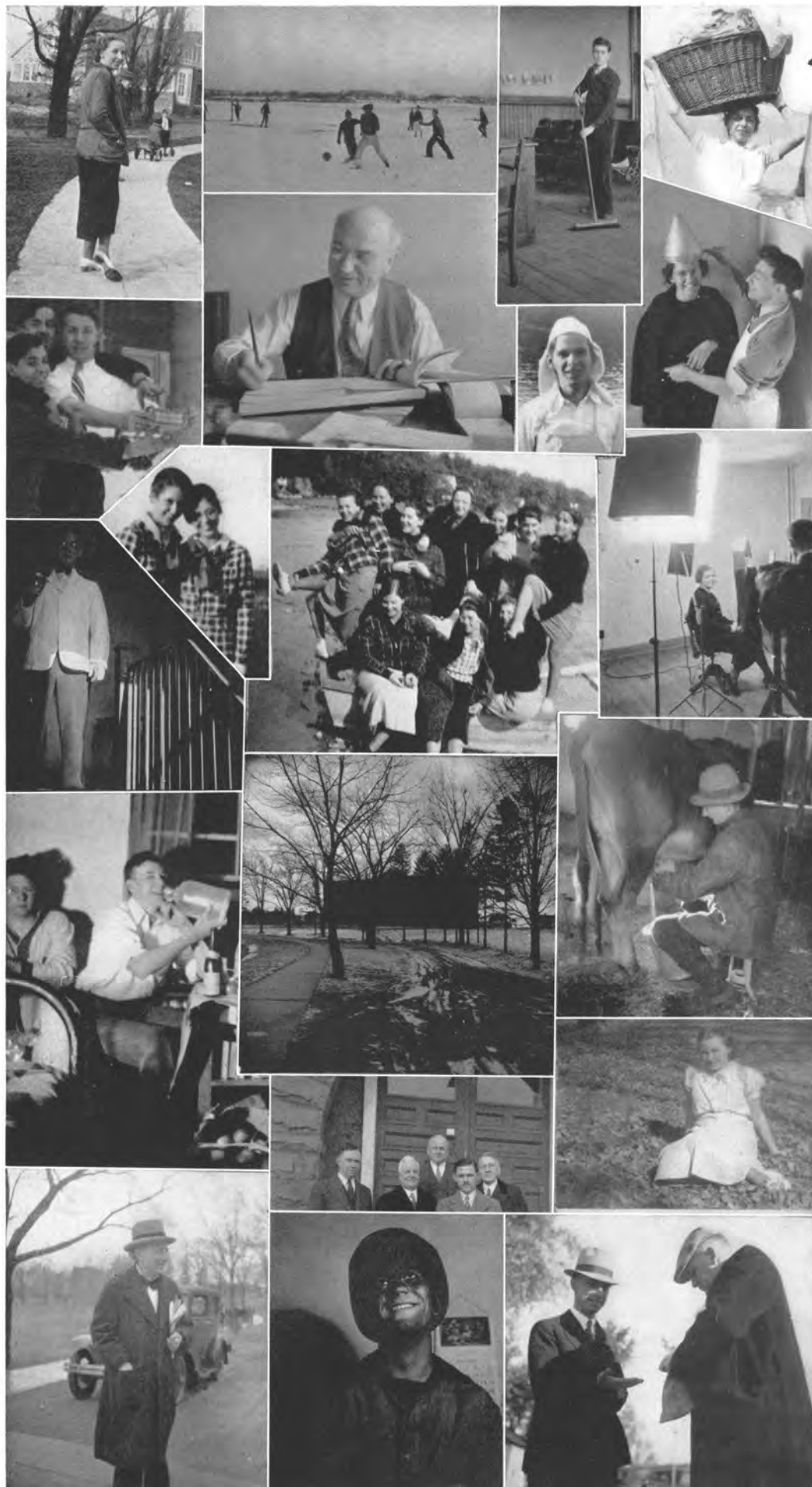
Pat: "Why do you keep going to the dentist? He said there wasn't anything wrong with you?"

Gert: Well, I'm reading a continued story in the magazines in his office."

Prof. Beeson: "Am I speaking loud enough?"

Hank: "Sure; I can't even sleep."

And of course we have our "Wahlyly."



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